



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 6

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Fourth Session

Twenty-Second Legislature

Thursday, March 26, 1992

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 p.m.

Introduction of New Member

The Speaker announced that a vacancy had occurred in the constituency of Little Bow as a result of the resignation of the sitting Member, Hon. Mr. Ray Speaker. The Speaker further announced that he had received from the Chief Electoral Officer of Alberta, pursuant to the Election Act, a report containing the results of the by-election conducted on March 5, 1992, which states that a by-election was conducted in the constituency of Little Bow and the said report further shows that Barry Glen McFarland was duly elected as the Member for Little Bow.

Hon. Mr. Getty, Premier, and Mr. Day, Hon. Member for Red Deer-North, escorted Mr. McFarland into the House to the Mace. Hon. Mr. Getty, Premier, presented Mr. McFarland to the Speaker, and Mr. McFarland took his seat in the Assembly.

ROUTINE

Presenting Petitions

Mr. Bruseker, Hon. Member for Calgary-North West, presented petitions from 43 teachers regarding a resolution of the Alberta Teachers' Association respecting the Teachers' Retirement Fund.

Mrs. Hewes, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, presented a petition from Alberta citizens regarding the protection of gays and lesbians against discrimination by amending the Individual's Rights Protection Act.

Mr. Moore, Hon. Member for Lacombe, presented petitions from teachers regarding a resolution of the Alberta Teachers' Association respecting the Teachers' Retirement Fund.

Mr. Payne, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fish Creek, presented petitions from teachers regarding a resolution of the Alberta Teachers' Association respecting the Teachers' Retirement Fund.

Mr. Payne, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fish Creek, on behalf of the Hon. Member for Calgary-Shaw, presented petitions from teachers regarding a resolution of the Alberta Teachers' Association respecting the Teachers' Retirement Fund.

Mrs. Osterman, Hon. Member for Three Hills, presented petitions from teachers regarding a resolution of the Alberta Teachers' Association respecting the Teachers' Retirement Fund.

Mr. Nelson, Hon. Member for Calgary-McCall, presented petitions from teachers regarding a resolution of the Alberta Teachers' Association respecting the Teachers' Retirement Fund.

Mr. Zarusky, Hon. Member for Redwater-Andrew, presented petitions from teachers regarding a resolution of the Alberta Teachers' Association respecting the Teachers' Retirement Fund.

Mr. Cardinal, Hon. Member for Athabasca-Lac La Biche, presented petitions from teachers regarding a resolution of the Alberta Teachers' Association respecting the Teachers' Retirement Fund.

Reading and Receiving Petitions

On request by Ms M. Laing, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Avonmore, the following petition was read and received:

To the Legislative Assembly of Alberta in Legislature assembled, we the undersigned respectfully petition the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government to adopt the recommendations of the Alberta Human Rights Commission and protect gays and lesbians against discrimination by amending the Individual's Rights Protection Act.

On request by Mrs. Hewes, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, the following petition was read and received:

We the undersigned, as professional staff members of Terra school, urge the Legislative Assembly of Alberta to accord favourable consideration to the following resolution adopted by teacher representatives at the Emergent Representative Assembly of the Alberta Teachers' Association on September 28, 1991:

Be it resolved, that the Alberta Teachers' Association return to negotiations with the Government with a view to concluding a new agreement in which;

- (a) teachers and the Government jointly contribute the full amount of all future service costs to the Teachers' Retirement Fund;
- (b) the Government assumes full responsibility for the total unfunded liability related to past service costs and adopts an acceptable plan for retiring that debt;
- (c) the Government amends the TRF Act to provide full cost-of-living adjustments to pensions; and
- (d) the other changes incorporated in the May 4, 1991, Memorandum of Understanding are retained.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 282 Members of the Legislative Assembly Pension Plan Amendment Act – Mr. Doyle

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Getty, Premier:

First Ministers' Meeting on the Economy, March 24-25, 1992, Outcomes of Discussions

Sessional Paper 842/92

Hon. Mr. Stewart, Minister of Technology, Research and Telecommunications, pursuant to the Alberta Heritage Foundation for Heritage Research Act, cA-26, s22, RSA 1980:

Alberta Heritage Foundation for Medical Research, Annual Report 1990-91
Sessional paper 131/92

Hon. Dr. West, Solicitor General, pursuant to the Liquor Control Act, cL-17, s24, RSA 1980:

Alberta Liquor Control Board, Annual Report 1991
Sessional Paper 122/92

Hon. Dr. West, Solicitor General, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-10.1, s52, 1983 Statutes:

Solicitor General, Annual Report 1990-91
Sessional Paper 121/92

Hon. Dr. West, Solicitor General:

Impaired Driving in Alberta: A Seven Year Perspective (1984 to 1990), Alberta Impaired Driving Countermeasures Committee
Sessional Paper 843/92

Mr. McInnis, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Jasper Place:

Joint Venture Agreement for the Construction, Ownership and Operation of a Part of the Alberta Special Waste Management System
Sessional Paper 844/92

Excerpts from an Alberta Environment Licence to Operate or Use issued to Procter & Gamble Inc., Grande Prairie
Sessional Paper 845/92

Province of British Columbia news release, Ministry of Environment, Lands and Parks, January 16, 1992
Sessional 846/92

Dr. Elliott, Chairman, Northern Alberta Development Council, pursuant to the Northern Alberta Development Council Act, cN-9, s8, RSA 1980:

Northern Alberta Development Council, Annual Report 1990-91
Sessional Paper 7/92

Hon. Dr. Carter, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly:

Alberta Legislative Assembly Office, Annual Report 1991
Sessional Paper 847/92

Oral Question Period

During Oral Question Period Mr. Martin, Hon. Leader of the Opposition, filed the following:

Affidavit, Court of Queen's Bench of Alberta, Judicial District of Edmonton between Pocklington Foods Inc. and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of the Province of Alberta as Represented by the Provincial Treasurer of Alberta, February 12, 1992

Sessional Paper 848/92

During Oral Question Period Hon. Mr. Klein, Minister of the Environment, filed the following:

Tire Recycling Contracts Awarded, Edmonton Journal, January 17, 1992

Sessional Paper 849/92

Letter dated March 10, 1992 to the Minister from Roger Ambrosie, President, Western Canadian Tire Dealers and Retreaders Association

Sessional Paper 850/92

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Written Questions

The following Written Questions were ordered to stand:

146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291.

Motions for Returns

The following motions were ordered to stand:

184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312.

Motions Other Than Government Motions

202. Moved by Mr. Hyland:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to pursue a policy where by the year 2005, at least five per cent of all gasoline sold is ethanol-, not petroleum-, based.

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 8(3), debate adjourned.

Public Bills and Orders Other Than Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill 201 Freedom of Information and Personal Privacy Act – Mr. Martin

A debate followed.

Mr. Thurber moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Stewart, Government House Leader, at 5:30 p.m., it was agreed that when the Members reconvened at 8:00 p.m., they would be in Committee of Supply, and the Speaker left the Chair.

THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1992 – 8:00 P.M.

Committee of Supply

(Assembly in Committee)

The Chairman put the question that the Committee approve each one of the resolutions relating to the interim supply estimates of the General Revenue Fund, the Capital Fund, and the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1993.

The Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Schumacher reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports as follows:

All resolutions relating to the interim supply estimates of the General Revenue Fund, the Capital Fund, and the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1993.

Mr. Speaker, I wish to table a list of those resolutions voted upon by the Committee of Supply pursuant to Standing Orders.

Sessional Paper 608/92

The question being put, the report was agreed to.

Unanimous consent was requested and received for the Assembly to revert to "Introduction of Bills."

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Upon recommendation of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

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| Bill | 6 | Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 1992 – Hon. Mr. Johnston |
| Bill | 7 | Appropriation (Alberta Capital Fund) Interim Supply Act, 1992 – Hon. Mr. Johnston |
| Bill | 8 | Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Interim Supply Act, 1992 – Hon. Mr. Johnston |

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Stewart, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:09 p.m. until Friday, March 27, 1992, at 10:00 a.m.

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